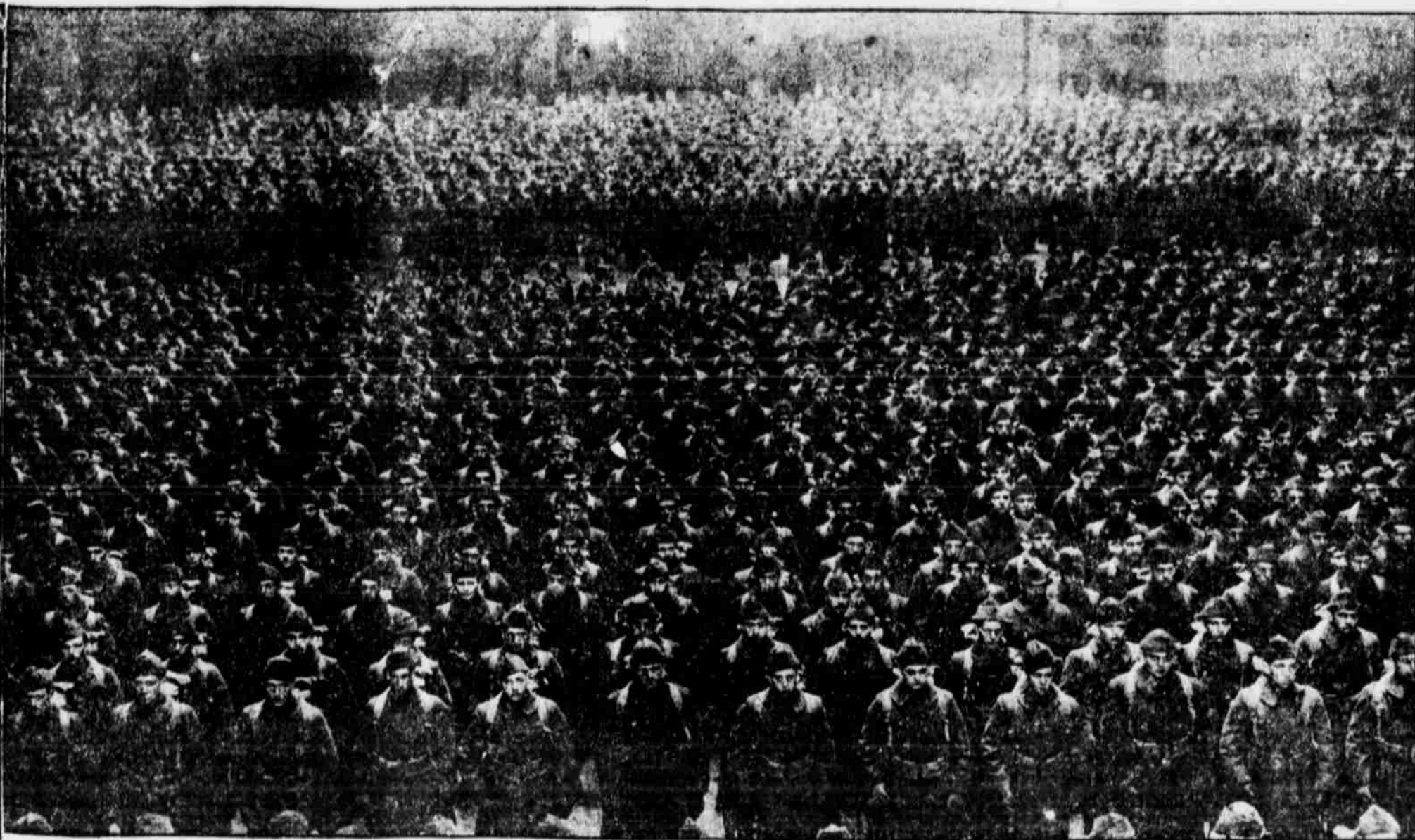


MUTINIES OF AUSTRIAN SAILORS AND GERMAN TROOPS REPORTED

SCENES OF THE GREAT PARADE OF "OUR BOYS" FROM CAMP UPTON TO-DAY IN HONOR OF GEORGE WASHINGTON



general are placed on the same footing as valuable property when in danger of falling into the hands of the enemy and must then be destroyed without contradiction. The local soviets must see that these decisions are carried out and the responsibility falls upon their representatives.

WORKMEN AND PEASANTS OF PETROGRAD, KIEV AND ALL TOWNS, VILLAGES AND HAMLETS ON THE LINE OF THE NEW FRONTIERS.
Initiations to dig trenches under direction of the Military Socialists.

WOMEN OF BOURGEOIS CLASS FORCED TO DIG TRENCHES.
Sixth—All members of the bourgeois class, the women as well as the men, must enter these battalions under surveillance of the Red Guards and in case of — must be shot.

Seventh—All institutions which offer resistance to the action of the revolution on the defensive and pass to the side of the German bourgeoisie or which have a tendency to profit by the invasion of the imperialistic masses in order to overthrow the authority of the Soviets, must be closed. Directors of and collaborators with these institutions who are capable of work must mobilize themselves to dig trenches and engage in other defensive work.

Eighth—Foreign agents and speculators are counted as revolutionary agitators, and German spies must be shot at sight. The Socialist Fatherland is in danger. Long live the National Social Revolution.

BOLSHEVİK EXCUSE FOR AGREEING TO SIGN BERLIN PEACE TREATY

Blames Working Class of Germany for Not Arising Against Its Own Militarism.

PETROGRAD, Thursday, Feb. 21.—In a proclamation announcing that they had agreed to sign German peace terms, the People's Commissaries declare: They are convinced that the German revolution will not permit the Russian revolution to be crushed by the militarists. Appeal is made to local councils to increase efforts to reorganize the Russian army.

The proclamation, which is addressed to Russian workers and peasants, reads:

"We agreed to sign peace terms at the cost of enormous concessions in order to save the country from final exhaustion and the ruin of the revolution. Once more the German working class, in this threatening hour, has shown itself significantly determined to stay the strong criminal hand of its own militarism. We had no other choice but to accept the conditions of German imperialism until a revolution changes or cancels them.

"The German Government is not hesitating to reply to us, evidently aiming to make us facing important point as to our fighting as possible.

"We even now are convinced that the German working class will rise against the attempts of the ruling classes to stifle the revolution, but we cannot predict with certainty when this will occur. The German imperialists may hesitate at nothing for the

purpose of destroying the authority of the Councils and taking the land from the peasants.

"The Commissaries call on all loyal councils and army organizations to use all efforts to recreate the army. Perverted elements of hooligans, marauders and cowards should be expelled from the ranks and, in the event of resistance, wiped off the face of the earth.

"The bourgeoisie, who under Kerensky and the Czar evaded the burden of war and profited from its misfortunes, must be made to fulfil their duties by the most decisive and merciless measures."

GERMANS MAY BE HOLDING BOLSHEVİK MESSENGERS

Lenine Adherents Declare They Are Now Refusing Peace to Favor Capitalists.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Although the delegates sent by the Russian Commissaries to inform the Germans of Russia's capitulation departed for Dvinsk on Wednesday, no news has been received from them, says an announcement made by the Commissaries, as forwarded in a Reuters dispatch from Petrograd. The announcement adds:

"It seems that the German Government is putting off its reply, and evidently is refusing peace and carrying out the wishes of the capitalists of all countries.

A Berlin dispatch received via Amsterdam last night said the Russian written confirmation of the acceptance of the German peace terms had passed the German limits.

\$500,000,000 U. S. NOTES ARE OFFERED TO BANKS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Another \$500,000,000 block of Treasury certificates, in preparation for the Third Liberty Loan, was offered for subscription today by Secretary McAdoo. They will bear 4½ per cent interest against the previous high mark of 4 per cent, and will be payable next May 24. Subscription books will close on March 1, and payments made between Feb. 21 and that date.

The certificates will be in denominations of \$100, \$5,000, \$10,000 and \$100,000, will be sold at par and secured interest and will have the same tax exemptions as previous issues. The Treasury may reduce their maturity at any date before their maturity, but for the payment of the first installment of the subscription price of the next Liberty Loan. About \$2,000,000,000 in certificates remain to be issued at the high rate of 4½ per cent, before the third loan campaign, probably in April.

600 MEDICAL OFFICERS OUT.

Surgeon-General Releases Many in Move for Army Efficiency.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—In line with reorganization of a greater efficiency in the Army, it developed that 600 of the Army's medical officers have been released from service more than 600 medical officers. These men were found either to be medically deficient or unfit for the work they were performing, and a list released.

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GERMAN FORCES ARE SWEEPING ON; TROTSKY MAY QUIT

Austrian Advance in the South Keeps Pace With Drive in North.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Austrian and German troops are advancing in the south simultaneously with the Germans in the north. Ukrainian troops are reported to have joined them against the Bolsheviks, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Morning Post.

An indignation meeting of the Bolsheviks was held Tuesday night to protest against Trotsky's attitude. Trotsky, it was said, will probably resign.

A dispatch from Petrograd says the Germans have occupied the entire northern portion of the Russian front. The Russians are said to be retreating in disorder. Russian cavalry are being rushed northward.

Germany has demanded occupation of Petrograd as a guarantee of its peace treaty with Russia and a thirty-year trade agreement, says a dispatch dated Thursday.

The Polish legions of the Russian Army have offered an armistice in the prevailing civil war on condition of free passage in any direction and are now trying to reach Warsaw. The Petrograd correspondent of the Daily Mail describes the attitude of the people as mostly one of apathy and fatalism. He says that a majority would welcome the arrival of the Germans in the hope that they could restore order, the feeling being that anything is better than the present condition.

As to the decision to surrender to the Germans, accounts differ. Some say that Premier Lenine and others who voted on the question of the Council of People's Commissaries which voted on the question of fighting to the last, unexpectedly went to the other side. This caused indignation in his party and he probably will resign.

The change in the Bolshevik policy to one of surrender surprised both their enemies and friends and threw their supporters into confusion. The foreign embassies, according to The Times, knew nothing of the Bolshevik decision until Tuesday night.

Disorganization in the Russian Navy has reached an extreme point and there is no likelihood of any order being obeyed, according to an Exchange telegraph dispatch from Petrograd. The naval authorities at Revel report that in order to save the Russian Navy from the hands of the Germans it will be necessary to remove the ships at Revel and other points to Kronstadt.

This is believed to be impossible.

BIG GUN BATTLE ON ENTIRE FRONT REPORTED BY PARIS

Particularly Heavy Firing on the Aisne, Champagne and Alsace Fronts.

PARIS, Feb. 22.—Heavy artillery fighting on the whole front is reported in to-day's official announcement. The firing was especially in the regions of the Forest of Pinon, Chevres and the Colonne Plateau (Aisne front), Haute du Mesnil (Champagne front) and Hartmannswillerkopf (Alsace).

Russian volunteers and Polish legionaries, quartered in the same town, entrained for the front to-day, headed by a military band. Their attitude toward each other was harmonious.

Germans Fall in Two Raids on Ypres Front.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Early last night a large party of the enemy raided two of our posts in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Roulers railway and a few of our men are missing, says to-day's War Office report. "A raid attempted by the enemy yesterday morning against posts held by Belgian troops in the Morden sector was repulsed by artillery and machine-gun fire."

At 81 She Knits for American Soldiers.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Feb. 22.—Mrs. Mary A. Smith celebrated her 84th birthday today by going to Red Cross headquarters to knit for the soldiers.

owing to their disease. Up to this time only submarines have been reported from these ports. The question has arisen whether to destroy the ships in Heligoland. It is also suggested to intern them in Finland as a free and neutral state, acknowledging of Finnish neutrality having been made by the Bolsheviks. The Bolsheviks are willing to withdraw the Russian Red Guards from Finland and to stop the supply of munitions to the revolutionists.

The marine detachments at Abo, Finland, and the Aland Islands demand their immediate discharge, the dispatch says, and the majority of the crews at Heligoland oppose any active defense.

Berlin Says Estonian Troops Have Joined Germans.

BERLIN, Feb. 22.—(By London.)—A regiment of Estonian troops has gone over to the Germans, the War Office announces.

The German troops advancing in Germany have captured Hapsal on the coast near the entrance to the Gulf of Finland and advanced beyond Hapsal, Wladimir and Spangau. They marched into Hapsal, about 100 miles northwest of Riga, and were received with rejoicing by the inhabitants, the dispatch says.

Kaiser Said to Be Going to Riga and Warsaw.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 22.—Kaiser Wilhelm is going to Riga and Warsaw, it was reported here today.

AMERICAN TROOPS IN FIRST BATTLE ON THE AISNE LINE

Patrol Engagement in Chemin des Dames Sector—Gun Battle on U. S. Front.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 22. (By the Associated Press).—In a patrol fight, Americans from units under instruction in the Chemin des Dames sector killed one German and captured another. One American was slightly wounded.

Details of the patrol fight are as yet unavailable beyond the official report that the prisoner taken was captured single-handed by a young American from one of the New England States, who, during the engagement, dropped into a shell hole on top of a German hiding there and later brought him in.

The American forces entered the line on one of the darkest of nights through a shell-pitted region dotted with shell-wrecked towns. The French General commanding the sector, a hero of the Marne, greeted them as comrades in arms and blessed the American flag.

This is the first time it has been permitted to reveal the fact that new American units have entered this line. The troops have been there for some time, suffering slight casualties, but their presence was kept secret until it was certain the enemy knew they were there.

The artillery duel continues night and day on the American front. The enemy is firing an ever greater number of shells, but only insignificant damage has been done to the American lines. American shells, on the other hand, appear to be hitting important enemy positions with regularity, except when a ground haze obscures observation.

Activity in the air has not diminished and numbers of German machines continue to cross the American lines. Yesterday a German machine flew so low that it emptied its machine gun into a group of American soldiers gathered around a camp kitchen. The enemy airplanes in the air were clearly seen. No casualties were reported yesterday.

A large number of German guns are now opposite the American sector. Among them are some 88's, probably from the Russian front.

Two U. S. Engineers Slightly Wounded, Pershing Reports.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Two American engineers were slightly wounded in action in France Feb. 16 and 18. They are Privates George W. Sterling, Melrose, Mass., and John J. Fay, Medford, Mass.

Gen. Pershing also reported that Private Luke A. Lovely, engineers, South Amboy, N. J., reported missing in action Nov. 30, was buried Dec. 3. The following deaths from disease also were reported:

Privates Clifford H. Wilson, Wal-

tham, Mass., pneumonia; Jack Tuft, Highland Park, Mich., pneumonia; William Howard, Mount Horeb, Wis., meningitis, and John G. Warren, Chicago, Ill., cause not given.

The death of George E. Parrish of Twickenham, Ore., from pneumonia, also was announced. His rank was not given.

NEW YORK BOY IS KILLED IN BRITISH FLYING SCHOOL

Lieut. Harold K. Bulkley, Who Went Abroad With Princeton Unit, Victim of Accident.

Edwin M. Bulkley of the banking firm of Spencer, Trask & Co., No. 25 Broad Street, received a cablegram at his home, No. 363 Park Avenue, last night, telling him that his son, Lieut. Harold K. Bulkley, had been killed in an airplane accident on an English flying field.

The message came from Seward Frosser of the Bankers' Trust Company, but gave no details of young Bulkley's death. A subsequent cable from a chum of the dead aviator confirmed the news.

Young Bulkley, who was twenty-one years old, went abroad in September with the Princeton aviation unit and had been receiving instruction under officers of the Royal Flying Corps. He was a junior when he joined the college unit.

VETERAN FIREMEN MARCH.

Old Timers of Kings County Volunteer Corps Hold Parade.

The Kings County Volunteer Firemen's Association, gray haired veterans who protected homes in the county before there was a paid fire department, held its annual parade in Brooklyn today. The men marched bravely in their old uniforms of red shirts, blue trousers and yellow helmets and pulled the old style fire fighting apparatus that was in use a generation ago. There were delegations from all parts of the old city of Brooklyn, Borough President Richmond, on the steps of Borough Hall, and the men of Williamsburg, Flatbush, Flatlands, Gravesend, New Lots and New Utrecht. Other county officials also watched the parade.

The Grand Marshal was William H. Swartwout and the oldest man in line was Rufus Lott, who is ninety-four. He worked at the Navy Yard until four years ago, when he retired. There were 250 men in line.

STAMP CAMOUFLAGE SHOES.

BILL IN Albany Would Require Impositions to Be Marked.

ALBANY, Feb. 22.—A bill aimed at manufacturers of composition shoes who sell them for leather footwear has been introduced by Senator Lockwood and Assemblyman Carrington. The bill requires that every shoe made of material other than leather shall be so stamped. Assemblyman Carrington said there had been considerable scandal over the reported sale of composition shoes to the army.

NO EVES FOR THIS EDEN.

"Don't Preep." They're Warned While Adams Take Draft Tests.

SHERBOYAN, Wis., Feb. 22.—(By Associated Press).—For men only, Don't preep. By order of Chief Clerk. This sign adorns the door of the Circuit Court room where registered men are being examined by the physical section of the draft board. Curious femininity is forewarned.

AUSTRIAN SAILORS REBEL AT CATTARO AND OTHER POINTS

Mutiny Spreads and Discontent Is Reported Rife All Over Empire.

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ROME, Feb. 22.—Three Slavs who managed to escape from Cattaro and gave themselves up to the Allies state that the Austrian fleet at Cattaro has mutinied and that the disaffection has spread to Pola, Fiume and other Austrian ports.

These men affirm that the discontent now rife throughout the Austrian Empire is not an incipient revolt of the various oppressed nationalities against the ruling cast, but a movement of a strongly defined Bolshevik character.

Prisoners say this movement already has made great progress among the working classes and that all the Austrian nationalities, who are ut-

terly tired of the war, are becoming imbued with anarchy from Russia.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 22.—German recruits in a camp at Beverloo, Belgium (29 miles east of Brussels) mutinied and shot several officers, after one of the latter had sabered a soldier, it was reported from the frontier to-day. A number of the mutineers are said to have been court-martialed and shot.

PERELESS TO TESTIFY ON ARMY DISMISSAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The Senate Military Affairs Committee to-day decided to recall Arthur E. Perceles to the witness stand to question again as to his dismissal from the army.

The committee was not satisfied with Quartermaster General Perceles's explanation that Perceles was not dismissed because of his previous testimony before the committee. Perceles, then a captain in charge of the "conservation division," told the committee how his investigation had disclosed that the Government was being overcharged by the base sorting company for sorting wooden scraps.

DIED.

PAGE—EDWARD ERNEST PAGE.

Services at CAMPBELL'S FUNERAL CHURCH, 1970 Broadway, Saturday, 8:30 P. M.

READ—KATE M. READ.

Services at CAMPBELL'S FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th st., Saturday, 2 P. M.

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